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Decendants of
JOHN R. HESS
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KEY TO INDEX

The letters of the alphabet are used to identify each individual after John R. Hess and wife.

The first of their children is given the letter A and then on down the alphabet in the order of their birth. (see page of their record.)

Their grandchildren add a second letter to their respective family letter, (Aa) beginning with the small letter a and on down in order of birth.

Each successive generation adds another letter in the same manner as stated above.

To trace the ancestry of any individual, just drop the last index letter and go toward the front of the book until you find the remaining letters, continue the same way and you will get back to the very beginning, to John R. Hess.

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person's index letter or letters.
In looking through this record you will find dates and places missing. These could not be obtained, and for that reason special care must be taken in making future reports, to identify the names of persons already in the book, (see your record for their index letters.) These reports must contain dates, and place of births, marriages, and deaths. Also of all the new in-laws.
We take this opportunity to thank every one who has in any way contributed the information to make this record.

Frank and Dora (Hess Ea) Roupp.

John R. Hess, Born October 13, 1828,
Married 1850, Died November 13, 1897
To-Annie E. Stauffer Born March 25,1832,
Died September 15, 1904, Lancaster Co.,
Pa.

Children--

A John Peter Hess (M) Born April 30, 1851.
Leaman Place, Pa. Died Feb.23, 1932,
Council Bluffs, Iowa.

B Amos Hess (M) Born March 19, 1853
Leaman Place, Pa. Died Jan. 19, 1930, Casa
Grande, Ariz.

C Albert Hess March 4, 1855 Lincoln, Pa.
Died Feb. 29, 1856, Lincoln, Pa.

D Simon P. Hess (M) Born Nov. 30, 1856,
Lincoln, Pa., Died July 19, 1932, Akron, Pa

E Daniel Hess (M) Born Nov. 28, 1858
Lincoln, Pa. Died Feb. 27, 1931, Phoenix,
Ariz.

F Abraham Lincoln Hess (M) Born Apr. 10,
1861, Lincoln, Pa., Died Dec. 27, 1921,
Hesston, Kansas.

G Benjamin Franklin Hess (M) Born Jan. 18, 1863, Lincoln, Pa., Died Sept. 27, 1928, Lincoln, Pa.

H. Lizzie Ann Hess (F) Born Jan. 10, 1865, Lincoln, Pa., Died June 1, 1938, Akron, Pa.

I Anna Hess (F) Born July 20, 1867, Lincoln, Pa.

J Amanda Hess, Born Aug. 24, 1869, Lincoln, Pa. Died April 25, 1873, Lincoln, Pa.

K Maria Hess (F) Born June 11, 1871, Lincoln, Pa. Died March 26, 1948, Newton, Ks.

BIOGRAPHY of John R. Hess, by John W. Hess Dd.

Grandfather, John R. Hess, was of the Hess family that settled in the Hammer Creek district Lancaster County, Penna.

As a young man he learned the milling trade at the Mt. Joy mill, later working at Stauffer's mill near Bird-in-Hand, where he, like Jacob, worked for his wife Annie E., Married her in 1850 and lived at Leaman Place where John P. and Amos

were born. In 1854 or 55, they moved to Lincoln, Pa. On this farm they lived until they quit farming, then moved a short distance west of the farm house, Benjamin moving on the home place. A private telephone was installed between to two houses.

Grandfather was ordained to the ministry on Jan. 8, 1866, to serve the Indiantown, Hammer Creek and Hess's congregations. I remember him well as a minister. He was called away often in church work and to conduct funerals. About 1891, while preaching a funeral sermon, he had a stroke and fell over. The doctor said he had but one chance in a hundred to recover, but he did, and lived nine more years. Not able to preach any more he often gave short testimonies with the same former interest often with right hand and finger raised, but hardly able to be understood due to effects of the stroke. He was quite heavy and walked with a cane.

At times he would overbalance and fall. This affliction affects some with crying, in his case it was laughing, often to the extent of making himself hard to be understood. He was very happy, which made it pleasant to visit him. One experience during his affliction, I well remember, was during hunting season. A hunter ran a rabbit into his fruit garden and could not find him, finally giving up. After hunters and guns were gone, grandfather walked out, which took him a long time, finally saw the rabbit sitting, raised his cane and killed him. During the last stage of his affliction he was quite helpless, for some time I slept on a couch and waited on him at night. When his time came to leave he was consious of it and called the children and grandchildren who livdd near, around his bed. He had a hand shake and parting message for each. To me it was, "Be a good boy".

Grandmother Hess was always mindful of the grandchildren in giving cookies and fruit, things they do not forget. She was a great fruit raiser and good with chickens. She could not stand tobacco smoke in a room; if someone smoked in her presence, she would get a nervous spell. I am sorry that not all the grandchildren had the privelege of being blessed by their good influence.

A. John Peter Hess married 1872, to Susan Konigmacher, Born Dec.9,1852, Lancaster Co., Pa. Died June 14, 1917 Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Children:-

Aa John Jacob Hess (M) Born Dec. 3, 1872, Ephrata, Pa.

Ab Edwin Austin Hess (M) Born March 26, 1875, Ephrata, Pa.

Ac Adam Konigmacher Hess (M) Born Feb. 12, 1881, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

BIOGRAPHY of John Peter Hess, By Susan

Belle Fletcher Hess (Ab). He taught school in Lancaster County Pa. and did some farming for about eight years. In about 1880 he, his family moved to near Council Bluffs, Iowa, where he farmed for about ten years. After leaving the farm he moved into Council Bluffs, entering into the Real Estate and Loan business, in which he continued until his death. He was particularly interested in religion, also he and his wife were interested in horticulturd. You might call it his hobby; they were especially enthusiastic over the growing of flowers and fruits.

Aa John Jacob Hess, Married Dec. 16,1899 in Iowa, To- Belle Snyder, Born Oct. 1876, Fayette Co., Iowa.

Aaa Geraldine Hess (M) Born Oct. 26,1899 Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Aab Grethen Hess (M) Born Jan. 1, 1903 Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Aaa Geraldine Hess Married ---1922 in _____Iowa, to Douglass Peter, Born in Omaha, Nebr. Died June 1941 Omaha, Nebr.

Children:-

Aaaa John Peters, Born April 5, 1923, Omaha, Nebr.

Aaab Douglass Peters Jr., Born Feb. 1, 1926, Omaha, Nebr.

Aaac Peter Peters, Born Aug. 15, 1930, Omaha, Nebr.

Aab Gretchen Hess, Married 1922, To Clarence Peters in Omaha, Nebr.

Children:-

Aaba Clarence Hess Peters, Born Oct. 28, 1923, Omaha, Nebr.

Divorced-- Clarence Peters, in Omaha, Nebr.

Remarried -- 1933 in Omaha, Nebr. To Gordon Smith, Omaha, Nebr.

Children:-

Aabb Gordon Smith Jr., Born Aug. 14, 1934 in Omaha, Nebr.

Aabc Sandra Smith Born Nov. 15, Omaha, Nebr.

Ab Edwin Austin Hess, Married Sept. 4, 1895, To - Susan Belle Fletcher, Born Feb. 26, 1873, Ellsworth, Kansas

Children:-

Aba Gladys Hess (M) Born July 16, 1897 Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Abb Edith Hess (M) Born July 26, 1901, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Abc Edwin Albert Hess (M) Born Aug. 25, 1903, Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Aba Gladys Hess Married Aug. 6, 1924 in Hollywood, Calif. To- Sherman Mead Sykes, Born July 12, 1895, Chicago, Ill.

Children:-

Abaa David Mead Sykes, Born Oct. 9, 1926 in Hollywood, Calif.

Abab Beverly B. Sykes, Born Mar. 8,1930 Hollywood, Calif.

Abac John Mead Sykes Born Nov. 5, 1935 in Hollywood, Calif.

Abb Edith Hess Married Sept. 15, 1924 in Council Bluffs, Iowa. To- Morton Charles Frost, Born Sept. 2, 1901, Kenosha, Wis.

Children:*

Abba John Jared Frost Born March 16, 1926, Kenosha, Wis.

Abbb Mararet Lynn Frost (Adopted) Born Feb. 15, 1936, Chicago, Ill.

Abc Edwin Albert Hess Married May 18, 1924, Avoca, Iowa. To * Louise Myrtle Blair, Oct. 11, 1901, Linnville, Iowa.

Children:-

Abca Barbara Belle Hess, Born Feb. 28, 1926 in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Abcb Norman Blair Hess, Born Feb. 26, 1939, in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Ac Adam Konigmacher Hess, Married Oct. 27, 1910 in Boise, Idaho. To - Olive N. Regan, Born Jan. 9, 1883 in Silver City, Idaho. Died Sept. 16, 1936 in Los Angeles, Calif.

Children:-

Aca Philip Hess (M) Born Jan. 6, 1911 in Boise, Idaho.

Acb Catherine Susanna Hess (M) Born Nov. 28, 1913 in Council Bluffs, Iowa.

Aca Philip Hess Married Aug. 31, 1932, To- Nona Gale Baker, Born Feb. 6, 1914, Divorced - Nona Gale Baker, Nov. --,1934 Remarried Aug. 24, 1939, To - Dora N. Wilkinson, Born April 10, 1910.

Children:-

Acaa Regan Hess, Born July 31, 1941 in Los Angeles, Calif.

Acb Catherine Susanna Hess Married June 27, 1936, To - Wallace Worsley.

Children:-

Acba Christopher Worsley, Born Mar. 18, 1940, in Los Angeles, Calif.

B Amos Hess Married Oct. 23, 1873, Lincoln, Pa. To - Lizzie Pfautz, Born Jan. 1850 Casa Grande, Ariz.

Children:-

Ba Susan Hess (M) Born Mar. 2, 1875 Middle Creek, Pa.

Bb Norman P. Hess (M) Born Dec. 1, 1876 Middle Creek, Pa.
Died Sept. 12, 1936, Fresno, Calif.

Bc Henry P. Hess (M) Born Feb. 19, 1880, Rothsville, Pa. Died Mar.1924 Texas.

Bd Anna Hess (M) Born Sept. 11, 1882, New Holland, Pa.

Be David Hess Born Nov. 24, 1886, Hesston, Kansas. Died April 1905 Reedly, Calif.

Bf Minerva Hess Born Jan. 16, 1892 Hesston, Kansas. Died Nov. 26, 1894 Hesston, Kansas.

BIOGRAPHY of Amos Hess, by Anna Hess McFarlane (Bd). He spent his early life in Lancaster Co., Pa. After marriage he farmed

in the Middle Creek, Rothsville, and New Holland communities. In Mar. of 1884 he and his brother Abe and their families settled on farms part of which now is the town of Hesston, Kansas. In 1886 the Missouri Pacific R.R. acquired right-of-way and soon after built the depot and tracks, and named the town after Amos and Abe Hess "Hesston". Here father lived until 1903. Selling out here he bought and operated an 100 acre cattle ranch in Chase Co., Kansas for four years. After selling out here they moved to Reedley, Calif., living there until 1912, after which they moved to Parsons, Kansas, there buying and operating a large dairy farm.

In 1916 they went to Arizona and homesteded a section of desert land fourteen miles from a railroad. They were to receive irragation water from the Coolidge Dam, but as the first world war delayed the construction of the dam he put down a

deep water well. Although he was told there was no water in that locality, he found an inexaustable supply. A short time after the war the Southern Pacific Railway built a main line through his land and he started the town of La Palma, Arizona. Following this many more wells were drilled in the community and La Palma is now a thriving settlement. His brother Daniel also had some land near by which is still owned and operated by some of his children.

When father and mother passed away we were planning on bringing them back to Kansas for burial, but their neighbors and friends persuaded us to bury them out there by saying they had done so much for the valley that they would like to have them buried there. They are buried side by side in Mountain View Cemetery, which lies at the foot of a mountain, it has an irrigation system of it's own and is nery nicely kept.

Ba Susan Hess Married Dec. 20, 1895
To - Titus M. Weaver, Born May 27, 1872,
at New Holland, Pa.
Children:-
Baa Amos H. Weaver, Born Sept. 14,1897,
Hesston, Kansas
Bab Mabel Anna Weaver (M) Born Mar. 1,
1899, Hesston, Kansas.
Bac Walter Raymond Weaver (M) Born, Oct.
29, 1900, Hesston, Kansas
Bad Mildred Elizabeth Weaver (M) Born
Mar. 30, 1902, Cedar Point, Kansas.
Bae Gladys Minerva Weaver (M) Born July
8, 1903, Cedar Point, Kansas
Baf Merton Weaver, Born June 27, 1905
Cedar Point, Kansas.
Bag Harold H. Weaver (M) Born Aug. 27,
1909, Florence, Kansas.
Bah Susie Dorothy Weaver (M) Feb. 26,
1912, Madison, Kansas.

Bab Mabel Anna Weaver Married Jan. 24,
1922, LaMont, Kansas.

To - Silas F. Blank, Born Mar. 8, 1894, Lamont, Kansas.

Children:-

BaBa Daniel W. Blanck, Born Dec. 30, 1922 Lamont, Kansas.

Babb Letty Lou Blanck, Born Nov. 30, 1927, Died Nov. 30, 1927, Lamont, Kansas.

Babc Lee Allen Blanck Born Mar, 31, 1930, Lamont, Kansas.

Babd Carol Ann Blanck Born Mar. 14, 1940, Lamont, Kansas.

Bac Walter Raymond Weaver Married Nov. 27, 1940. To - Marie Shimanck, Born Aug. 4, 1908, Oberling, Kansas

Children:-

Baca Walter John Weaver, Born Jan. 17, Wichita, Kansas

Bad Mildred Elizabeth Weaver, Married Mar, 20, 1921, Lamont, Kansas. To - Joseph D. Blanck, Born Dec. 13, 1899, Lamont, Kansas.

Children:-

Children:

Bada Joseph Richard Blanck Born Sept. 12 1922 Lamont, Kansas.

Badb Thelma Gladys Blanck Born Jan. 22, 1931 Lamont, Kansas.

Bae Gladys Minerva Weaver Married Nov. 4, 1932 Madison, Kansas. To - Dr. William C. Fairbrother Born Mar. 4, 1902 Bantry, S.D.

Children:

Baea Patricia Sue Fairbrother Born June 9, 1941 Emporia, Kansas.

Baeb Karen Lou Fairbrother Born July 22, 1946, Inglewood Calf.

Bag Harold H. Weaver Married to - Thelma Smith Born June 14, 1909

Children:

Baga Sandra Faith Weaver Born June 10, 1938 Salina, Kansas.

Bagb Wendell Wayne Weaver Born Aug. 15, 1939 Great Bend, Kansas.

Bagc Clayton Earl Weaver Born Feb. 17, 1941 Wichita, Kansas.

Bagd Barbara Sue Weaver Born July 1, 1942 Emporia, Kansas.

Bage Beverly Jean Weaver Born March 14 1944 Wichita, Kansas.

Bah Susie Dorothy Weaver Married To - Jerome Linsday

Children:

Baha Donna Jean Linsday Born June 13, 1945 Emporia, Kansas.

Bahb Mary Kathleen Linsday Born Nov. 22, 1947 Emporia, Kansas.

Bb Norman P. Hess Married Feb. 16, 1902 Newton, Kansas To - Mazie Bausman, Born Oct. 20, 1879 Newton, Kansas.

Children:

Bba Winifred Hess (M) Born Jan. 12, 1903 Cedar Point, Kansas.

Bbb Elnona Hess (M) Born Apr. 21, 1904 Newton, Kansas. Died July 25, 1942 Fresno, Calf.

Bbc Harry A. Hess Born Apr. 9, 1906 Hessten, Kansas.

Bbd Raymond L. Hess (M) Born Aug. 6, 1911 Reedley, Calf.

Bba Winifred Hess Married Sept. 16, 1922 Madera, Calf. To - Richard Knight Born May 25, 1893 Wyoming. Died Jan. 24, 1935 Fresno, Calf.

Remarried Oct. 5, 1936 Calf. To - Karl Thomas Born June 16, 1896 Ill.

Children:

Bbaa Lloyd R. Knight (M) Born Mar. 24 Fresno, Calf.

Bbab Elaine E. Knight Born July 12, 1927 Fresno, Calf.

Bbaa Lloyd R. Knight Married

Children:

Bbaaa Richard Lloyd Knight Born Nov. 9, 1945.

Bbb Elnona Hess Married Oct. 17, 1930 Bakersfield, Calf. To - John Glantz Born Aug. 5, 1900 Colorado.

Bbd Raymond L. Hess Married Nov. 30, 1940 Reno, Nev. To - Vera O'Brien Born Sept. 1909 Hanford, Calf.

Children:

Bbda Lawrence R. Hess Born Sept. 8, 1942 Fresno, Calf.

Bc Henry P. Hess Married June 10, 1906 Texas. To - Katherine Paddock.

Adopted son, Vann Hess.

Bd Anna Hess Married Dec. 27, 1899 Hesston, Kansas. To - Walter D. McFarlane Born July 1, 1879 Brooklyn, N.Y.

Children:

Bda Cecil McFarlane (M) Born May 29, 1901 Hesston, Kansas

Bdb Gwendolyne McFarlane (M) Born Jan.20, 1903 Cedar Point, Kansas.

Edc Kermit McFarlane (M) Born Sept. 16, 1905, Newton, Kansas.

Edd Kenneth McFarlane Born Mar. 2, 1906, Newton, Kansas. Died Mar. 11, 1906. Newton, Kansas.

Ede Donald McFarlane (M) Born Dec. 16, 1910, Newton, Kansas.

Edf Opal McFarlane (M) Born Mar. 29, 1913. Newton, Kansas.

Eda Cecil McFarlane Married Oct. 12, 1925 Hesston, Kansas. To - Velma Cummings Born Oct. 20, 1906 Hesston, Kansas. Died May 13, 1930 Newton, Kansas.

Children:

Edaa Kermit Claire McFarlane Born June 4, 1927, Newton, Kansas.

Edab Elanor Mae McFarlane Born Nov. 7, 1926 Newton, Kansas.

Edac Betty Jo McFarlane Born Mar. 3, 1930 Newton, Kansas.

Eda Cecil McFarlane Remarried Apr. 20, 1936 Newton, Kansas.

To - Hazel Coulson Born Oct. 12, 1912 DesMoines, New Mex.

Children:

Bdad Walter James McFarlane Born Apr. 22, 1937, Newton, Kansas.

Bdae John Bruce McFarlane Born Jan. 18, 1939, Newton, Kansas.

Bdaf Margeret Ann McFarlane Born Nov. 24, 1940, Newton, Kansas.

Bdag Kathryn Ruth McFarlane Born Jan. 13, 1944, Newton, Kansas.

Bdb Gwendolyne McFarlane Married Oct. 26, 1923, Buffalo, Missouri. To - Homer Watkins Born May 27, 1902, Newton, Kansas.

Children:

Bdba Robert L. Watkins Born Dec. 14, 1924, Newton, Kansas.

Bdbb Lauren Mac Watkins Born Dec. 26, 1925, Newton, Kansas.

Bdbc Barbara Jean Watkins Born July, 10, 1930, Newton, Kansas

Bdbd William Dean Watkins born Dec. 27, 1936, Newton, Kansas

Bdc Kermit McFarlane Married July 19, 1945. To - Eloise Holdeman, Born July 22, 1918, Miami, Okla.

Bdc Donald McFarlane Married June 6, 1934. To - Dorothy McDonald Born Oct. 10, 1915, Jetmore, Kansas.

Children:

Bdea Donna Mae McFarlane Born June 11, 1939, Newton, Kansas.

Bdf Opal McFarlane Married Apr. 14, 1930, Newton, Kansas. To - Orville Titus Born May 1, 1911, Newton, Kansas.

Children:

Bdfa Eugene Titus Born May 1, 1931 Newton, Kansas. Opal Titus Divorced 1937. Married - Sept. 4, 1940 Calf. To - Charles Scott Born Abilene, Kansas.

Children:

Bdfb Loretta Ann Scott Born May 4, 1942, Los Angeles, Calf.

D Simon P. Hess Married 1876, Lincoln, Pa.

To - Sarah Wolf Born July 31, 1857 Lancaster County, Pa. Died Dec. 4, 1925 Akron, Pa,

Children:

Da Amos Wolf Hess (M) Born June 20, 1877 Wood Corner, Pa.

Db Emma Hess (M) Born Nov. 12, 1879, Lincoln, Pa.

Dc Ada Hess (M) Born Dec. 18, 1881 Lincoln, Pa. Dd John Wolf Hess (M) Born June 13, 1884 Lincoln, Pa.

De Clarence Wolf Hess (M) Born Feb. 15, 1888, Lincoln, Pa.

Df Eva Mae Hess (M) Born Oct. 19, 1889, Millway, Pa.

Dg Harry Wolf Hess (M) Born Mar. 30, 1892, Millway, Pa.

Dh Edwin Austin Hess (M) Born Oct. 6, 1895, Akron, Pa.

Di Irene Hess (M) Born May 6, 1899, Akron, Pa.

Dj Helen Myra Hess (M) Born July 24, 1901, Akron, Pa.

Biography of Simon P. Hess by son J.W. Hess

(Dd) He grew to manhood on the farm home of his parents near Lincoln, Pa. After marriage they began housekeeping about one mile from where he was raised and here were born the five older children.

In 1889 they moved to a farm at Millway about four miles from their first home; here Eva and Harry were born. In 1895 they built a new house in Akron, Pa. where Edwin, Irene and Helen were born, and where they spent their remaining days. Some of father's outstanding qualities were kindness and patience. One time, however, I intruded somewhat on his patience; I did not want to go to school and begged to stay home. He finally said, "I'll tell you one more time you must go." I thought I would win out but I didn't.

He started for me and I ran around the implement shed three times. When he got through with me, I was glad to go. He would not allow his hired men to curse or swear; and that was a settled rule, and he had no trouble in keeping his help. The secret was, he was good to them, and they always had a good word for him.

Father loved singing and taught his first singing class at the age of seventeen. He was so use to singing that he would sing while at work. He was outstanding in being a regular church goer; he did not miss any services as long as he was able to go.

He held the office as Trustee, while building the first Mennonite church in Ephrata, Pa., and was Sunday School superintendent for many years in succession. If I can hold the good will of the people, as well as their respect, I shall feel that my life was a witness for my savior.

Da Amos Wolfe Hess Married Jan. 27, 1900, Lancaster, Pa. To - Sallie Longnecker Born Sept. 19, 1880, Meadow Valley, Pa.

Children:

Daa Simon Stanley Hess Born Sept. 1904, Meadow Valley, Pa.

Dab Sarah Hess (M) Born Nov. 24, 1919 Meadow Valley, Pa.

Dab Sarah Hess Married Mar. 24, 1940, Lincoln, Pa. To - Chester Karl Schreck, Born Oct. 1919, Ephrata, Pa.

Children:

Daba Thomas Richard Schreck Born Nov. 18, 1940, Meadow Valley, Pa.

Db Emma Hess Married Nov. 12, 1902 Akron, Pa. To - John Jacoby Messner Born Apr. 28, 1879 Reamstown, Pa. Died Sept. 1948.

Children:

Dba Harold Hess Messner (M) Born Sept. 20, 1903 Rothsville, Pa.

Dbb Clarence Hess Messner Born Nov. 1, 1905 Lancaster, Pa.

Dbc Robert Hess Messner (M) Born Sept. 22, 1907 Ronks, Pa.

Dbd Albert Hess Messner (M) Born March 5, 1910 Strasburg, Pa.

Dbe Marian Hess Messner Born July 27, 1912 Strasburg, Pa.

Dbf Dorothy Esta Messner (M) Born March 23, 1915 Strasburg, Pa.

Dbg Sarah Helena Messner (M) Born Dec. 25, 1916 Strasburg, Pa.

Dbh Mary Arlene Messner (M) Born Nov. 24, 1920 Strasburg, Pa.

Dba Harold Hess Messner, Married Aug. 8, 1936, Lancaster, Pa. To Emma Charles Born Oct. 3, 1906 Lancaster, Pa.

Children:

Dbaa Louisa Charles Messner Born Apr. 11, 1940 Strasburg, Pa.

Dbc Robert Hess Messner Married Nov. 26, 1936, Harrisburg, Va. To - Lois Stauffer born Jan. 14, 1913 Altoona, Pa.

Children:

Dbca David Stauffer Messner Born Apr. 19, 1939 Strasburg, Pa.

Dbcb Mary Elizabeth Messner Born Nov. 1, 1940 Strasburg, Pa.

Dbcc John Joseph Messner Born Dec. 12, 1942 Harrisonburg, Va.

Dbd Albert Hess Messner Married Oct. 9, 1935 Intercourse, Pa. To Margaret Ackerman Born Sept. 12, 1911 Lancaster, Pa.

Children:

Dbda John Richard Ackerman Messner born Feb. 9, 1937, Strasburg, Pa.

Dbf Dorothy Esta Messner Married Aug. 29, 1937 Strasburg, Pa. To Roy Witmer Born Nov. 18, 1916 Goodville, Pa.

Children:

Dbfa Douglas Messner Witmer Born May 23, 1938 Blue Ball, Pa.

Dbfb Michael Messner Witmer Born July 25, 1941 Lancaster, Pa.

Dbg Sarah Helena Messner, Married ____ Strasburg, Pa. To Marvin Denlinger, Born Jan. 12, 1913, New Holland, Pa.

Dbg Fay Elaine Denlinger, Born Oct.7, 1942, Lancaster, Pa.

Dbh Mary Arlene Messner, Married Nov. 29, 1942, Strasburg, Pa. To Howard Landis. Erb, Born Aug. 2, 1918, Lititz, Pa.

Children:

Dbha Larry Douglas Erb, Born 1945

Dc Ada Hess, Married May 5, 1908, To Jacob Rissler Keener, Born Oct. 10, 1883, Hagerstown, Md.

Children:

Dca Howard Hess Keener (M) Born June 13, 1909. Lititz, Pa.

Dcb Irene Keener (M) Born May 6, 1914 Lititz, Pa.

Dcb Irene Keener Married December 23, 1939, Lititz, Pa.

To Henry F. Sturgis, Born May 15, 1913, Lititz, Pa.

Children:

Dcba John Henry Sturgis, Born June 21, 1942, Tulsa, Okla.

Dca Howard Hess Keener, Married June 19, 1930, Lititz, Pa. To Beatrice Kemper, Born, Aug. 12, 1906, Lititz, Pa.

Children:

Dcaa Cynthia Ann Keener, Born Oct. 22, 1932, Lititz, Pa.

Dd John Wolf Hess, Married Apr. 8, 1905, Union Grove, Pa. To Lizzie Burkholder, Born, Jan. 12, 1882, Farmersville, Pa.

Children:

Dda Alma Hess (M) Born July 3, 1906, Akron, Pa.

Ddb Joseph Burkholder Hess (M) Born, Aug. 5, 1908, Pearidge, Mo.

Ddc Margie Hess (M) Born July 9, 1910, Pearidge, Mo.

Ddd Simon Burkholder Hess (M) Born Aug. 18, 1912 Pearidge, Mo.

Dde Emma Burkholder Hess Born Dec. 14, 1917, Pearidge, Mo.

Ddf James Burkholder Hess (M) Born Mar. 26, 1920, Mason, Iowa.

Ddg Sara Burkholder Hess (M) Born Apr. 20, 1923, Mason, Iowa

Dda Alma Hess Married Dec. 14, 1926 Akron, Pa. To Frank Hershey Born July 10, 1903 Lititz, Pa.

Children:

Ddaa John Henry Hershey Born Sept. 13, 1927 Lititz, Pa.

Ddab Vera Hess Hershey Born Feb. 23, 1929 Lititz, Pa.

Ddac Martin Hess Hershey Born July 12, 1930 Lititz, Pa.

Ddad J. Simon Hershey Born Oct. 11, 1931 Lititz, Pa.

Ddae Ella Elizabeth Hershey Born Jan. 18 1933 Lititz, Pa.

Ddb Joseph Burkholder Hess Married Nov. 29, 1928 Columbia, Pa. To Beulah Brubaker Born Aug. 28, 1907 ---- ----

Children:

Ddba Joseph Brubaker Hess Born Dec. 7, 1931 Akron, Pa.

Ddbb Kathleen Brubaker Hess Born Mar. 27, 1933 Akron, Pa.

Ddc Margie Hess Married June 6, 1929, Akron, Pa. To Elmer Hershey Born Dec. 9, 1906, Lititz, Pa.

Children:

Ddca Dale Hershey Born July 23, 1940, Lititz, Pa.

Ddd Simon Burkholder Hess Married ----

Ddf James Burkholder Hess Married To Carlon Fry.

Children:

Ddfa Douglas Hess Born 1945

Ddg Sara Burkholder Hess Married Nov. 21, 1942, Akron, Pa. To Herbert Hess Born Oregon, Pa.

Children:

Ldga Juda Hess Born 1944.

De Clarence Wolf Hess Married May 29, 1907 Reading, Pa. To Gertrude Hicks Born Jan. 8, 1885 Akron, Pa. Died June 14, 1945.

Children:

Dea Emma Hess (M) Born Sept. 29, 1908 Akron, Pa.

Deb Walter Hicks Hess (M) Born Nov. 18, 1910 Akron, Pa.

Dec Grace Hicks Hess Born Feb. 6, 1913 Akron, Pa.

Ded Gladys Hess (M) Born May 21, 1915 Akron, Pa.

Dee Albert Hicks Hess (M) Born Aug. 12, 1918 Akron, Pa.

Def Clarence Hicks Hess Born June 19, 1929 Akron, Pa.

Dea Emma Hess Married June 1, 1935 Ephrata, Pa. To Henry Keller Blough Born Sept. 22, 1909 Elizabethtown, Pa.

Children:

Deaa Albert Henry Blough Born Apr. 29, 1936 Lancaster, Pa.

Deab Henry Keller Blough Born Sept. 24, 1942 Lancaster, Pa.

Deb Walter Hicks Hess Married Jan. 1, 1930 ---Md. To Miriam Helms Born Oct. 21, 1911 Honeybrook, Pa.

Children:

Deba Donald Walter Hess Born Oct. 7, 1930 Lancaster, Pa.

Debb Patsy Ann Hess Born Jan. 22, 1932 Lancaster, Pa.

Debc Audrey Lou Hess Born Feb. 11, 1933 Lancaster, Pa.

Ded Gladys Hess Married June 3, 1939 Ephrata, Pa.

To Beatrice Arnold Born Nov. 1, 1918, Lancaster, Pa.

Children:

Dcca Albert David Hess Born Oct, 21, 1937, Lancaster, Pa.

Dcch Mary Lou Hess Born July 9, 1940, Lancaster, Pa.

Df Eva Mae Hess Married Sept. 21, 1909 Akron, Pa. To E Roy Hess Born Dec. 4, 1887 Oregon, Pa.

Children:

Dfa Durrel E. Hess (M) Born Feb. 24, 1912 Ephrata, Pa.

Dfa Durrel E. Hess Married Aug. 6, 1941, Salisburg, N.C. To Elinor Rockwell

Dg Harry Wolf Hess Married Nov. 28, 1912 Neffsville, Pa. To Elizabeth Good Born Mar. 16, 1892 Ephrata, Pa.

Children:

Dga Ruth Hess (M) Born April 4, 1914 Akron, Pa.

Dgb Roy Hess (M) Born Mar. 20,1916
Terre Hill, Pa.

Dgc Paul Hess (M) Born Sept.24, 1917
Terre Hill, Pa.

Dgd Robert O. Hess (M) Born Jan. 13,1918
Terre Hill, Pa.

Dga Ruth Hess Married --- Clyde Mumma
Born Feb. 17, 1911 Landisville, Pa.
Children:

Dgaa Grace Elizabeth Mumma Born Feb. 18, 1935, Landisville, Pa.

Dgab Clyde Jere Mumma Born Dec. 3, 1937, Lancaster, Pa.

Dgac Jon Hess Mumma Born Sept.4, 1939, Lancaster, Pa.

Dgb Roy Hess Jan.9, 1943, Married at Valley Forge,Pa. To Anne Beck Minnich, Born Apr. 30, 1916, Lititz, Pa.

Dgc Paul Hess Married June 27, 1941, Valley Forge, Pa. To Revenda Stumbaugh Born Sept. 4, 1917, New Holland, Pa.

Robert C. Hess, Married June 10,1940, Ephrata, Pa. To Flcy Myer, Born Mar.11, 1918, Stevans, Pa.

Children:

Dgda Doris Joan Hess, Born Aug. 5, 1941

Dh Edwin Austin Hess Married Sept. 11, 1924 Lititz, Pa. To Alice Habacker, Born Dec. 1, 1899, Lititz, Pa.

Children:

Dha Edwin Austin Hess Born Sept. 15, 1927 Ephrata, Pa.

Dhb Alice Louise Hess Born June 14, 1931 Akron, Pa.

Di Irene Hess Married May 6, 1926 Akron, Pa. To Jason H. Mellinger, Born Feb. 9, 1903, Strasburg, Pa.

Children:

Dia Albert Hess Mellinger, Born July 18, 1927, Strasburg, Pa.

Dib Ernest Hess Mellinger, Born Aug. 8, 1928 Strasburg, Pa.

Dic Dorothy Mae Mellinger, Born June 20, 1931, Strasburg, Pa.

Did Evelyn Irene Mellinger, Born Sept. 23, 1937, Georgetown, Pa.

Dj Helen Myra Hess, Married Sept. 2, 1932 Lancaster, Pa. To Reed Overholser, Born Dec. 9, 1895, Lykens, Pa.

Children:

Dja Compton Reed Overholser, Born Oct. 7, 1933, Bryn Mawr, Pa.

E Daniel Hess Married Sept. 28, 1879, Weaverland, Pa. To Hattie M. Weaver, Born Apr. 27, 1861 Weaverland, Pa. Died Jan. 7, 1938 San Bernardino, Calif.

Children:

Ea Dora W. Hess (M) Born Mar. 7, 1882 Stevens, Pa.

Eb Harvey Clayton Hess (M) Born Nov. 15, 1884 Newton, Kansas. Died Mar. 11, 1944 Casa Granda, Ariz.

Ec John Henry Hess (M) Born July 12, 1886 Newton, Kansas

Ed Weaver W. Hess (M) Born Sept. 15, 1890 Newton, Kansas.

Ee Hattie May Hess Born Apr. 27, 1892 Newton, Ks. Died Aug. 31, 1894 Newton, Ks.

Ef Amos W. Hess (M) Born Dec. 17,1894, Newton, Kansas

Eg. Paul W. Hess (M) Born May 17, 1896, Newton, Kansas.

Eh Minnie W. Hess (M) Born Mar. 16, 1898 Newton, Kansas.

Ei Reuben Melvin Hess (M) Born Jan. 17, 1900, Newton, Kansas.

Ej Ruth Geraldine Hess (M) Born Jan. 17, 1900 Newton, Kansas.

Ek Anna Hess (M) Born Oct. 11,1901, Newton, Kansas.

BIOGRAPHY of Daniel Hess, by Dora W. Roupp.

After his marriage he started farming near Stevens, Pa. In the spring 1884 he moved to a farm three and one-half miles N.W. of

Newton, Ks. living there until 1906. During the time he lived on the farm he also was the cream tester for the Newton Creamery Co. He made each station twice a month, about twenty in all, making the rounds with horse and buggy taking about two weeks per round. During the years he was engaged in testing cream he traveled not less than 30,000 miles. After selling the farm he moved to Newton and operated a feed store for several years, then clerked in a grocery store for some time, after which he moved to Eskridge, Kans. working ther in a feed store until he moved to near Phoenix, Ariz. in 1911. There on a small farm he raised alfalfa ran a dairy, marketing dairy products, poultry eggs, and garden produce in Phoenix, For a number of years while living on this farm they also took care of a Tuberculosis Sanitarium nearby. Later he bought ten acres of land and planted it to oranges, lemons, grape-fruit and dates,

but did not have the opportunity of reaping the reward for his labors, as the orchard just came into good bearing at the time of his death. He, like his father, was a deeply religious person, both in teaching and practice. For many years he was Sunday School superintendent; the only thing keeping him away from religious services was sickness. He was a life all of his children would do well to pattern after.

Ea Dora W. Hess married Aug. 9, 1902 Newton, Kans. To Frank G. Roupp, Born Aug. 6, 1881, Freeman, So. Dak.

Children:

Eaa John Edward Roupp (M) Born Jan. 27, 1904, Okla. City, Okla.

Eab Walter Roy Roupp (M) Born June 14, 1905, Hesston, Kansas.

Eac Paul Ervin Roupp (M) Born May 14, 1907, Hesston, Kansas.

Ead Clara Alice Roupp (M) Born Dec. 12, 1910, Newton, Kansas.

Eae Carl Willard Roupp (M) Born June 14, 1912, Newton, Kansas.

Eaf Marianna Roupp (M) Born Apr. 27, 1914, Newton, Kansas.

Eaa John Edward Roupp Married Sept. 5, 1929 Monot, N. Dak. To Gladys Lucreta Benell, Born Nov. 3, 1901, Wellman, Ia.

Children:

Eaaa Geraldine Lee Roupp Born July 13, 1930, Wichita, Kansas.

Eaab James Edward Roupp, Born Nov. 20, 1931, Wichita, Kansas.

Eaac Joan Beverly Roupp, Born Oct. 22, 1932, Wichita, Kansas

Eaad Patricia Jean Roupp, Born Jan. 31, 1935, Wichita, Kansas.

Eaae David Kent Roupp, Born Mar. 8, 1940, Denver, Colo.

Eaaf Linda Kay Roupp, Born June 24, 1942, Denver, Colo.

Eab Walter Roy Roupp, Married June 16, 1927 Elkhart, Ind. To Bertha Pearl Shantz.

Born May 14, 1905, Elkhart, Ind.

Children:

Eaba Dorothy Elizabeth Roupp, Born July 21, 1928, Wichita, Kansas.

Eabb Albert Allen Roupp, Born Sept. 12, 1930, Wichita, Kansas.

Eabc Thelma Louise Roupp, Born Aug. 7, 1932 Wichita, Kansas.

Eabd Donald Roy Roupp, Born Feb. 14, 1936, Elkhart, Ind.

Eac Paul Ervin Roupp, Married Aug. 17, 1930 Hesston, Kans. To. Gertrude Troyer, Born June 16, 1901, Inman, Kansas.

Children:

Eaca Carol Jean Roupp, Born Dec. 30,1933 Newton, Kansas.

Eacb Stanley Troyer Roupp, Born Jan. 12, 1939, Hutchinson, Kansas.

Eacc Nadine Leann Roupp, Born Nov. 16, 1941, Newton, Kansas.

Ead Clara Alice Roupp Married Mar. 29, 1942 San Francisco, Calif. To:

Raymond O. Allison, Born Feb. 2, 1900 Gass City, Kansas.

Children:

Eada Robert Ray Allison, Born Sept. 29, 1942, San Francisco, Calif..

Eadb Sue Ellen Marie Allison, Born Nov. 23, 1945, San Francisco, Calif.

Eadc Ronald Allison, Born Sept. 29, 1947 San Francisco, Calif.

Eae Carl Willard Roupp, Married Apr. 18, 1943, Brockton, Mass. To Dorothy Estelle Peirce, Born Apr.4, 1916, Taunton, Mass.

Children:

Eaea Bette Ann Roupp, Born Feb. 9, 1944, Brockton, Mass.

Eaeb Janet Lee Roupp, Born May 9,1946, Newton, Kansas.

Eaec Robert Willard Roupp, Born Aug. 27, 1948, Wichita, Kansas.

Eaf Marianna Roupp Married Nov. 1,1947, Fredonia, Kansas, To Raymond Francis Ecton, Born June 18, 1919, Coyville, Kansas.

Eb Harvey Clayton Hess, Married Aug. 18, 1907, Newton, Kansas. Died Mar. 11, 1944, Casa Grande, Ariz, Married To Lydia Josephine Neuauser, Born June 7, 1885, Gridley, Ill.

Children:

Eba Harold Eber Hess (M) Born July 26, 1908, Newton, Kansas.

Ebb Orville Preston Hess (M) Born Mar. 18, 1910, Raghunathpur, India.

Ebc Esther Irene Hess (M) Born May 27, 1913, Ghoom, India.

Ebd Floyd Albert Hess (M) Born Sept. 20, 1916, Phoenix, Ariz.

Ebe Clifford N. Hess (M) Born Dec. 27, 1918, Phoenix, Ariz.

Ebf Ralph Edward Hess (M) Born Feb. 26, 1920, Casa Grande, Ariz,

Ebg Dorothy Rose Hess Born Sept. 27,1922 Casa Grande, Ariz.

Eba Harold Eber Hess Married Aug. 7, 1936 Los Angeles, Calif. To Ruth Ursula

Beebe Born July 24, 1909, East Fair Haven, Mass.

Ebb Orville Preston Hess Married June 1, 1935 Casa Grande, Ariz. To Helen Pauline Payne, Born Mar. 21, 1912.

Children:

Ebba Donald Lee Hess, Born Aug. 26,1936 Ft. Collins, Colo.

Ebe Clifford N. Hess, Married Jan. 31, 1943, Globe, Ariz. To Billye Ruth Pipkins, Born May 5, 1926, Eufaula, Okla.

Children:

Ebea Sharon Lynn Hess, Born Feb. 23, 1944, Ariz.

Ebf Ralph Edward Hess, Married July 20, 1945, Los Angeles, Calif. To Gertrude Mary Holt, Born Aug. 25, 1918, Bernice, Okla.

Children:

Ebfa Carol Jean Hess, Born July 5, 1946 Columbus, Nebr.

Ebc Esther Irene Hess Married Aug. 14, 1936, Pasedena, Calif. To Leonard Arthur Prescott, Born April 26, 1910, Leon, Kans.

Children:

Ebca Arthur Laurence Prescott, Born Sept. 15, 1937, Pasedena, Calif.

Ebcb Ruth Dellene Prescott, Born Feb. 1, 1940, Goose Creek, Texas.

Ebcc William Clayton Prescott, Born July 13, 1943, Glenwood, Minn.

Ebcd Vernita Marilene Prescott, Born Dec. 9, 1947.

Ebd Floyd Albert Hess, Married April 14, 1945, Los Angeles, Calif. To. Grace Marion Fry, Born Oct. 24, 1924, Hutchinson, Kans.

Ec John Henry Hess, Married Sept. 1,1908, Tabor, Iowa, To Naomi Allian Weaver, Born July 12, 1886, Sidney, Iowa.

Children.

Eca Susanna Hattie Hess (M) Born Oct,2, 1912, Tabor, Iowa.

Ecb Beulah May Hess (M) Born Jan. 5,

1915, Tabor, Iowa.

Ecc Geraldine Pearl Hess, Born Sept. 8, 1917, Tabor, Iowa.

Ecd Robert Daniel Hess (M) Born Mar.10, 1920, Shambaugh, Iowa.

Ece John Weaver Hess (M) Born Mar. 1, 1923, Bloomington, Nebr.

Ecf Carl David Hess, Born Apr. 5, 1927, Casa Grande, Ariz.

Eca Susanna Hattie Hess, Married Nov. 4, 1932, Bloomington, Nebr. To John H. Kugler Jr. Born Nov. 4, 1911, Riverton, Nebr. Children:

Ecaa Naomi Udora Kugler, Born Oct. 18, 1938, Casa Grande, Ariz.

Ecab Joel Frederick Kugler, Born Jan.24, 1944, Ariz.

Ecb Beulah May Hess, Married Dec. 1, 1938, Orange, Calif. To John W. Strom, Born Nov. 8, 1916,

Ecd Robert Daniel Hess, Married May 22, 1943, Corpus Texas, To:

Saran Marie Nelson, Born Jan. 7, 1918, Akron, Ohio.

Ece John Weaver Hess, Married June 4, 1948, Van Nuys, Calif. To. Marjorie Tharon James, Born Aug. 18, 1924, Miloca, Minn.

Ed Weaver W. Hess, Married Apr. 8, 1920, Alhambra, Calif. To Rose Sigrid Almquist, Born Nov. 5, 1900, Los Angeles, Calif.

Children:

Eda Ralph Harvey Hess, Born Dec. 31, 1924, Moscow, Idaho, Died Apr. 16, 1945 in service Okinawa, Shima.

Edb James Orval Hess, Born July 1, 1927, Yakima, Washington.

Edb James Orval Hess, Married Sept. 4, 1948, Portland, Oregon, To Shirley Kenagy.

Ef Amos W. Hess, Married Dec. 21, 1931, Phoenix, Ariz. To Margaret Amelia Dent, Born June 5, 1896, Charles Co. Md.

Children:

Efa Margaret Jean Hess, Born Sept. 12,1933,

Phoenix, Arizona.

Eg Paul W. Hess, Married Oct. 3, 1919 To Clara A. Stoll, Born Dec. 4, 1893, York, Nebraska.

Children:

Ega Warren Delmar Hess (M) Born Nov. 7, 1920, Phoenix, Arizona.

Ega Warren Delmar Hess, Married Aug. 22, 1942 College Station, Texas, To Verla Bernice Puckette, Born Sept. 30, 1923, Chicago, Illinois.

Children:

Egaa Loretta Faye Hess, Born Nov. 25, 1943, S. Whittier, California.

Egab Martin Delmar Hess, Born Mar. 1, 1948, Los Angeles, California.

Eh Minnie W. Hess, Married Sept. 2, 1929, Yakima, Wash. To James Elaine Frazier, Born Sept. 11, 1891, Vesta, Minnisota.

Children:

Eha James Elaine Frazier Jr., Born July 18, 1930, Yakima, Washington.

Ehb Genevieve Louise Frazier, Born Mar. 21, 1935, Yakima, Washington.

Ei Reuben Melvin Hess, Married June 30, 1928, Phoenix, Ariz. To Dorrys Cathyrn Roby, Born Mar. 9, 1907, Alice, Texas. Died Oct. 23, 1943, Phoenix, Arizona,

Children:

Eia Patricia Ann Hess, Born Apr. 8, 1929, Phoenix, Arizona.

Eib Danniel George Hess, Born Aug. 3, 1931, Phoenix, Ariz. Married To Virginia Haines Wells, 1944, Born Dec. 20, 1910, Clayton, Indiana.

Children:

Eic William Weaver Hess, Born May 2, 1946, Phoenix, Arizona.

Ej Ruth Geraldine Hess, Married Dec. 24, 1918, Phoenix, Ariz. To Leo M. Wadley, Born March 24, 1896, Stillwater, Okla. Divorced April 1936, Calif. Remarried May 8, 1937, Calif. To Charles Henry Rockwell Born Mar. 17, 1382, Elberson, Iowa, Divorce

in Feb. 1945, Remarried April 16, 1947 San Bernardino, Calif. To Henry L. Meyer, Born Hornice, Iowa.

Children:

Eja Geraldine Lee Wadley (M) Born Feb. 19, 1920, Phoenix, Arizona.

Ejb Calvin Laverne Wadley (M) Born May 26, 1921, Phoenix, Arizona.

Ejc Donald Melvin Wadley, Born May 26, 1924, Alhambra, Calif.

Eja Geraldine Lee Wadley, Married Sept. 30, 1939, in Calif. To James E. Freeman.

Children:

Ejaa John Curtis Freeman, Born Feb. 3, 1946.

Ejb Calvin Laverne Wadley, Married July 1946, Las Vagus, Nevada, To Gladys Hayes, Born in Nebraska.

Ek Anna Hess, Married May 7, 1921, Phoenix, Ariz. To Hubert Huston Campbell, Born June 30, 1901, Clifton Forge, Va.

Children:

Eka
Clarene Ellen Campbell (M) Born Apr. 15, 1923, Phoenix, Arizona.

Ekb Marjorie Jean Campbell, Born Sept. 27, 1926, Phoenix, Arizona.

Eka Clarene Ellen Campbell, Married June 19, 1943, Phoenix, Ariz. To.Gerard Owen Cleary, Born Pittsburgh, Pa.

Children:

Ekaa Karen Ann Cleary, Born May 16, 1944, Phoenix, Arizona.

F Abraham Lincoln Hess,Married Aug. 17, 1883, Lanc. Co., Pa. To Anna Barbara Pfautz, Born Mar.28, 1863, Lanc. Co., Pa. Died Jan. 13, 1940, Newton, Kansas.

Children:

Fa Elmer D. Hess, (M) Born Oct. 1, 1884, Hesston, Kansas.

Fb Ira Hess (M) Born June 8, 1887, Hesston, Kansas.

Fc Edgar Hess, Born Aug. 4, 1888, Hesston, Kans. Died May 10, 1890, Hesston, Kansas.

Fd Vera Pfautz Hess (M) Born Oct 29, 1891, Hesston, Kansas

Fe Jennie Hess, Born Mar. 14, 1893, Hesston, Kansas.

Ff Abraham Lincoln Hess (M) Born June 13, 1896, Hesston, Kansas

Fg Grace Hess (M) Born Nov. 14, 1897, Hesston, Kansas

Fh Claude Simon Hess (M) Born Feb. 24, 1900, Hesston, Kansas.

Fi Mary Hess, Born June 10, 1903, Hesston, Kansas.

Fj Allen Hess, Born Dec. 29, 1905, Hesston, Kans. Died Mar. 29, 1918, Hesston, Kansas.

Fk Helen Ruth Hess, (M) Born Mar. 21, 1911 Hesston, Kansas.

Biography of Abraham L. Hess:

He moved to Kansas in the year of 1884, located on a farm in Harvey Co. He and his brother, Amos, had adjoining farms on part of which the town of Hesston, Kansas is now located. See biography of "B" Amos.

He was of a genial and kindly disposition, and made friends wherever he went. He was of a jolly makeup and was familiarly known, especially by the young people, as "Uncle Abe". He was never happier that when he was in a group of young people. He was well thought of in his community and his counsel was much sought. He was also a liberal giver, always ready to help in any time of need, and supported every worthy cause by his means. When the movement was started to found an istitution of higher learning of the Mennonite Church in the middle west he supported it substantially by the donation of the eighty acres of land on which the school (Hesston College and Bible School is now located.

He was its staunch supporter during the twelve years of its existence up to the time of his death. He was deeply interested in the work of the church of his choice, was ever ready to do what he could to farther its cause;

he was very fond of singing.

Written by Dora Roupp.

Fa Elmer D. Hess, Married Nov. 26, 1905, Lanc. Co., Pa. To Mazie M. Musser, Born Oct. 15, 1885, Hinkletown, Pa. Died June 1948, Pa.

Children:

Faa Ernest D. Hess (M) Born July 11,1906, Akron, Pa.

Fab Mildred Hess (M) Born Sept. 3, 1907, Chicago, Ill. Died Oct. 22, 1934, Penn.

Fac Anna Hess (M) Born Sept. 9, 1909, Selkirk, Ont.

Fad Geraldine Hess, Born Mar. 14, 1911, Masontown, Pa. Died Feb. 25, 1924, Penn.

Fae Marian Hess, Born Aug. 16, 1912, Masontown, Pa.

Faf Jacob Abram Hess (M) Born Mar. 31, 1914, Masontown, Pa.

Fag Kathryn Hess (M) Born Apr. 16, 1915, Masontown, Pa.

Fah Amy Grace Hess, Born Apr. 6, 1917, Masontown, Pa. Died Apr. 10, 1917, Masontown, Pa.

Fai Amos Allen Hess (M) Born May 25, 1918 Masontown, Pa.

Faj Cleland Wilbur Hess (M) Born Mar. 17, 1921, Masontown, Pa.

Fak Eleanor Ruth Hess, Born July 19, 1926 Belleville, Pa.

Faa Ernest D. Hess,, Married Nov. 20, 1937, Penn. To Elizabeth Miller, Born Nov. 15, 1904, Elizabethtown, Pa.

Children:

Faaa Jay Nelson Hess, Born July 1, 1938 Elizabethtown, Pa.

Faab Clyde Mahlon Hess, Born Feb. 16, 1940 Ephrata, Pa. Died Mar. 16, 1942, Ephrata, Pa.

Fab Mildred Hess, Married Oct. 1, 1932, Penn. Died Oct. 22, 1934, Penn. To Oliver M. Yoder, Born Oct. 20, 1900, Belleville, Pa.

Fag Kathryn Hess, Married Nov. 12, 1940, Pa. To Henry Hunsicker, Born July 12, 1908 State Hill, Pa.

Fai Amos Allen Hess, Married Aug. 26, 1939 Pa. To Lucille Binkley, Born Apr. 1920, Denver, Pa.

Faj Cleland Wilbur Hess, Married Oct. 26, 1940, Pa. To Elva Kindt, Born Nov. 21,1921 Denver, Pa.

Fac Anna Hess Married July 4, 1931, Penn. To Chester A. Bitterman, Born Aug. 19, 1898 Lykens, Pa.

Children:

Faca Chester A. Bitterman Jr., Born Aug. 4, 1933, Lancaster, Pa.

Facb Norman Ray Bitterman, Born Dec. 27, 1937, Lancaster, Pa.

FafJacob Abram Hess, Married Mar. 9, 1944, Altamont, Kansas, To Frances Caline Mourning.

Children:

Fafa Julia Ann Hess, Born Nov. 2, 1946,

Fb Ira Hess, Married Sept. 2, 1904, Newton, Kansas, To Hattie Curby, Born July 16, 1888, Hesston, Kansas.

Children:

Fba Earla Hess (M) Born June 6, 1906, Hesston, Kansas.

Fbb Lleonard Hess (M) Born Apr.11, 1910, Hesston, Kansas.

Fbc William Hess (M) Born May 17, 1917, Hesston, Kansas

Fbd Ira Hess Jr. Born Aug. 30, 1926, Hesston, Kansas

Fba Earla Hess, Married Dec. 5, 1937, Colorado Springs, Colo. To Jay Travis, Born Mar. 28, 1907, St. Louis, Mo.

Children:

Fbaa Judy Kay Travis, Born May 23, 1939, Martindale, Mont.

Fbb Lleonard Hess, Married Nov. 3, 1943, Salina, Kansas, To Darlyne Lawhead, Born Mar. 14, 1909, Kearney, Nebr.

Fbc William Hess, Married Sept. 13, 1945, To Lois Edwards.

Fd Vera Pfautz Hess, Married Nov. 24, 1909 Hesston, Kans. To Fred Henry Billau, Born Feb. 21, 1890, Hesston, Kansas.

Children:

Fda Sylvia Billau (M) Born Jan. 2, 1913, Norwich, Kansas.

Fdb Robert Fred Billau, Born Jan. 25, 1917 Utica, Kansas.

Fdc Thelma Billau (M) Born June 20, 1919, Kingman, Kansas

Fdd Emerson Roy Billau, Born Dec. 24, 1922, Idaho Springs, Colo.

Fdc Zella May Billau (M) Born July 6, 1924, Golden, Colo.

Fdf Wilford Henry Billau, Born Nov. 6, 1927 Denver, Colo. Died Dec. 31, 1942, Denver, Colo.

Fdg Darlene Vera Billau, Born Mar. 8, 1930 Denver, Colo.

Fdh Kenneth Edward Billau, Born Jan. 30, 1932, Denver, Colo.

Fda Sylvia Billau, Married June 1, 1931

Golden, Colo. To Harold Gerlick, Born Apr. 4, 1912, Scoffield, Mich.

Children:

Fdaa Jerald James Gerlick, Born Dec. 22, 1932, Omaha, Nebr.

Fdab Barbara Jean Gerlick, Born Sept. 3, 1937, Denver, Colo.

Fdc Thelma Billau, Married Feb. 1940, Las Vegas, Nev. To Harly Robertson, Born Jan. 6, 1915, Cherokee, Okla.

Children:

Fdca Donna Lea Robertson, Born June 21, 1941, Denver, Colo.

Ff Abraham Lincoln Hess, Married June 6, 1918, Harper, Kans. To Elva Hershberger, Born Sept. 13,1899, Arthur, Ill.

Children:

Ffa Irven LeRoy Hess (M) Born, June 17, 1919, Hesston, Kansas

Ffb Evelyn Joyce Hess, Born Dec. 17, 1920, Hesston, Kans. Died Apr. 1921, Hesston, Kan.

Ffc Barbara Elizabeth Hess (M) Born Jan.

26, 1922 Hesston, Kansas.

Ffd Dorothy Mae Hess, Born May 27, 1924, Friend, Kansas.

Ffe Abraham Lincoln Hess, Born Jan. 4, 1926, Friend, Kansas

Fff Joseph P. Hess, Born Nov. 7, 1927, Wichita, Kans. Died Jan. 6, 1929, Wichita, Kansas.

Ffg. Edwin Dale Hess, Born Oct. 2, 1929, Wichita, Kansas.

Ffh Earl Boyd Hess, Born Feb. 8, 1931, Wichita, Kansas.

Ffi Duane Willard Hess, Born June 2, 1933, Hesston, Kansas.

Ffj Shirley Ann Hess, Born Jan. 29, 1935, Hesston, Kansas.

Ffa Irene LeRoy Hess, Married.

Efc Barbara Elizabeth Hess, Married Jan. 16, 1944, To Clarence Harris, Born Oct.25, 1915, Leavenworth, Kansas.

Children:

Ffca Julia Ann Harris, Born May 27, 1947,

Ffd Dorothy Mae Hess, Married To John V. Carter.

Fg Grace Hess, Married, Feb. 6, 1919, Hesston, Kans. To Rollin S. Erb, Born Oct. 19, 1896, Kalona, Iowa.

Children:

Fga Helen Lucile Erb, Born Nov. 14, 1919, Kalona, Iowa.

Fgb Averett Duane Erb, Born June 29, 1921, Wellman, Iowa.

Fh Claude Simon Hess, Married July 19, 1922, McPherson, Kans. To Myrtle Kittle Born Jan. 11, 1898, Lindsborg, Kansas.

Children:

Fha Carol Joan Hess (M) Born July 30, 1923, Newton, Kansas.

Fhb Marjorie Jeanne Hess (M) Born Oct. 20, 1924, Newton, Kansas.

Fhc Claude Gordon Hess, Born Aug. 3, 1928, Atlanta, Kansas

Fha Carol Joan Hess, Married Feb.9, 1947, Eldorado, Kans. To Ray Gully, Born Manhattan, Kansas.

Fhb Marjorie Jeanne Hess, Married Aug. 31, 1947, To Reed Larson.

Fk Helen Ruth Hess, Married June 8, 1941, North Newton, Kans. To Herbert Richard Kaufman, Born Apr. 3, 1907, Moundridge, Kansas.

Children:

Marilyn Kay Kaufman, Born June 17, 1942, Newton, Kansas

Fkb James Richard Kaufman, Born Oct. 7, 1945, Newton, Kansas.

G Benjaman Franklin Hess, Married 1883, Penn. To Anna K. Bomberger, Born Feb.14, 1864, Lanc. Co., Pa. Died Nov. 15, 1931, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Children:

Ga Alma B. Hess (M) Born Feb. 25, 1884, Lincoln, Pa. (Died Jan. 1, 1930, Bethel, Pa.)

Gb Lizzie B. Hess (M) Born Sept. 2, 1885, Lanc. Co., Pa. (Died July 12, 1934).

Gc Tillman B. Hess, Born Mar.17, 1887, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Gd Anna B. Hess, Born Mar. 1, 1889, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Ge Sue B. Hess, (M) Born April 9, 1890, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Gf Phares B. Hess (M) Born May 5, 1892, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Gg May B. Hess, Born June 9, 1902, Lanc. Co., Pa. Died July 29, 1910, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Biography of Benjaman Franklin Hess, by Anna Hess, (GD)

Started home making on his father's farm, near Lincoln, Pa. he lived and died there. He was a farmer all his life, and liked it; he said farming was a great business, and watching tiny plants grow and develop into food for man and animal was very interesting. He was a great Bible student, and spent much time reading it. He was a deacon in the Mennonite church for many years. He was of a very jolly nature and had a sense of humor.

Ga Alma B. Hess, Married Noc. 25, 1903, Lincoln, Pa. To Phares H. Nolt, Born Jan. 1, 1881, Voganville, Pa. Died Sept. 14, 1947.

Children:

Gaa Elta H. Nolt (M) Born Dec. 12, 1904, Voganville, Pa.

Gab Arthur H. Nolt (M) Born Dec. 15, 1905, Voganville, Pa.

Gac Willis H. Nolt (M) Born Feb. 8, 1907, Voganville, Pa.

Gad Elmer H. Nolt (M) Born Dec.6, 1908, Lititz, Pa.

Gae Anna H. Nolt, Born Sept. 13, 1910, Lititz, Pa. Died Dec. 11, 1910, Lititz, Pa.

Gaf Dora H. Nolt, Born Jan. 17, 1912, Lanc. Co., Pa. Died April 26, 1930, Lanc. Co., Pa..

Gag Vera H. Nolt (M) Born Aug. 18, 1913, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Gah Ben H. Nolt (M) Born April 6, 1915, Bethel, Pa.

Gai John H. Nolt (M) Born Aug. 1, 1917, Bethel, Pa.

Gaj Sara H. Nolt (M) Born June 18, 1919, Bethel, Pa.

Gak Alma H. Nolt, (M) Born Jan 12, 1921, Bethel, Pa.

Gal Reta H. Nolt, Born Feb. 8, 1923, Bethel, Pa.

Gam Emma H. Nolt, Born May 20, 1924, Bethel, Pa.

Gaa Elta H. Nolt, Married Jan. 1, 1930, Kurtztown, Pa. To John Machmer, Born July 10, 1906, Shartlesville, Pa.

Children:

Gaaa Robert Thomas Machmer, Born June 4, 1931, Washington, D.C.

Gaab James Andrew Machmer, Born Sept. 2, 1932, Washington, D.C.

Gab Arthur H. Nolt, Married Mar. 26, 1927 Strausstown, Pa. To Pauline Langsdreff, Born Jan. 23, 1906, McAlistervillo, Pa.

Children:

Gaba Arthur Nolt, Born Mar. 29, 1928 Lancaster, Pa.

Gabb Richard Kenneth Nolt, Born April 4, 1929, Sinking Springs, Pa.

Gabc Robert Reginald Nolt, Born Mar. 28, 1930, Ashland, Pa.

Gabd Thomas Lynn Nolt, Born July 1, 1932, Strausstown, Pa.

Gabe Pauline Ann Nolt, Born June 30, 1934, Tamaqua, Pa.

Gac Willis H. Nolt, Married Feb. 8, 1930 Rohersberg, Pa. To Viola Weidman, Born Sept. 28, 1909, Rohrersberg, Pa.

Children:

Gac Willis Hess Born Apr. 2, 1947

Gac Elmer H. Nolt, Married Sept. 7, 1929, Strausstown, Pa. To Mary Spitler, Born Jan. 6, 1908, Bethel, Pa.

Children:

Gaca Anna Mae Nolt, Born Feb. 23, 1930, Bethel, Pa.

Gacb Vera S. Nolt, Born June 4, 1942, Reading, Pa.

Gacc Kay Marie Nolt, Born Oct. 22, 1946 Pottsville, Pa.

Gag Vera H. Nolt, Married Nov. 28, 1904, Silver Springs, Pa.

Gaga Charles Turner Barber Jr. Born Aug. 30, 1941, Washington, D.C.

Gagb Sara Ann Barber, Born Dec. 18, 1943 Silver Springs, Pa.

Gagc Glenn N. Barber, Born Feb. 9, 1946, Maryland.

Gah Ben H. Nolt, Married Mar. 23, 1935, Ellicott City, Md. To E. Vivian Cooper, Born April 19, 1917, Washington, D.C.

Children:

Gaha Marcia Elaine Nolt, Born Jan. 21, 1937, Washington, D.C,

Gahb Elta Duano Nolt, Born Oct. 11, 1939, Montgomery County., Md.

Gai John H. Nolt, Married Oct. 17, 1942, Bakersfield, Calif. To Edna M. Yow, Born Aug. 17, 1926, Cushing, Okla.

Child:

Gaia Timothy John Nolt, Born Jan. 26, 1945, Bakersfield, Calif.

Gaj Sara H. Nolt, Married April 11,1942, Bolair, M.D. To Vincent D. Johnson, Born Nov. 14, 1908, Indiana Springs, Ind.

Children:

Gaja Barbara Kay Johnson, Born April 9, 1943, Lititz, Pa.

Gajb Eugene Lee Johnson, Born Sept. 1945, Terre Haute, Ind.

Gak Alma H. Nolt, Married Apr. 12, 1941, Army Chapel Washington, D.C. To Chester Althouse, Born April 13, 1917, Ephrata, Pa.

Children:

Gaka David N. Althouse, Born Dec. 30,1942, Washington, D.C.

Gakb Sylvia Sue Althouse, Born Oct. 1, 1946, Ephrata, Pa.

Gal Reta H. Nolt, Married Feb. 14,1944 Ahniville, Pa. To Verlin S. Renner, Born Aug. 30, 1918, New Paris, Ohio.

Child:

Gala Verlin S. Renner Jr., Born July 25, 1945.

Gb Lizzie B. Hess, Married Oct. 3, 1916, Denver, Pa. To Hiram B. Bomberger, Born Oct. 19, 1884, Lititz, Pa.

Gc Sue B. Hess, Married May 8, 1910, Neffsville, Pa. To John N. Wissler, Born Feb. 1, 1888, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Children:

Gca Mary H. Wissler (M) Born June 12, 1911, Lanc.Co., Pa.

Gcb Roy H. Wissler (M) Born June 9, 1912, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Gcc Earl H. Wissler (M) Born Sept. 15, 1913, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Gcd Ruth H. Wissler (M) Born Aug. 31, 1915, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Gca Mary H. Wissler, Married Jan. 15, 1930, Neffsville, Pa. To Russell Beyer, Born Mar. 10, 1907, Montgomery Co., Pa.

Children:

Gcaa Paul W. Beyer, Born Dec. 20, 1930, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Geab Mark W. Beyer, Born July 25, 1932, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Geac John W. Beyer, Born Mar. 19, 1935, Lanc. Co., Pa. Died Mar. 26, 1936, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Gead Lois W. Beyer, Born Jan. 12, 1937, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Geaf Anna W. Beyer Born Oct. 19, 1941, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Geag Arlene W. Beyer, Born Aug. 12, 1944, Died May 23, 1946.

Geah Orpha Beyer, Born Mar. 23, 1947, Clay Township, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Geb Roy H. Wissler, Married June 25, 1938 Lancaster, Pa. To Martha H. Beyer, Born Nov. 28, 1913, Columbia, Pa.

Children:
Geba
Dorothy Leora Wissler, Born Aug. 17, 1939, Rothsville, Pa.

Gebb Doris Suanne Wissler, Born Sept. 6, 1941 Rothsville, Pa.

Gebc Darlene Joyce Wissler, Born Mar. 30, 1943, Lititz, Pa.

Gebd Dawn Illeen Wissler, Born Oct 3, 1944, Lititz, Pa.

Gec Earl H. Wissler, Married Aug. 21, 1934, Leola, Pa. To Ruth Wenger, Born July 22, 1913, Leola, Pa.

Children:

Geca Twila Ruth Wissler, Born Dec. 10, 1935, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Gecb Marian Elaine Wissler, Born Apr. 1, 1938, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Gecc John Nelson Wissler, Born Dec. 7, 1941, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Gecd James Earl Wissler, Born Sept. 13, 1947, Lanc. Co., Pa.

Ged Ruth H. Wissler, Married Dec. 25, 1935, Mennonite Home, Akron, Pa. To Samuel Baum, Born Dec. 10, 1911. Lanc. Co., Pa.

Children:

Geda Reta W. Baum, Born Sept. 1, 1940, Hershey, Pa.

Gedb Jean W. Baum, Born Sept. 23, 1945, Hershey, Pa.

Gf Phares B. Hess, Married Apr. 4, 1925, Mission Inn, Riverside, Calif. To Gertrude Graves, Born Nov. 28, 1895, Springbow, Pa.

H Lizzie Ann Hess, Married Nov. 19, 1886, Ephrata, Pa. To Tillman M. Erb, Born Nov. 3, 1865, Mt. Joy, Pa. Died Jan. 25, 1929, Newton, Kansas.

Children:

Ha Anna May Erb (M) Born Oct. 2, 1887, Newton, Kansas.

Hb Allen H. Erb, (M) Born Dec. 9, 1888, Newton, Kansas.

Hc Mabel H. Erb (M) Born Sept. 1, 1890, Hesston, Kansas.

Hd Sussie Etta Erb, Born Aug. 11, 1892, Hesston, Kans. Died Mar. 18, 1893, Hesston, Kansas.

He Paul H. Erb (M) Born April 26, 1894, Newton, Kansas.

Hf Ruth Naomi Erb (M) Born Mar. 27, 1896 Harper, Kansas

Hg Jacob Lester Erb (M) Born May 4, 1898, Harper, Kansas.

Hi Amy Elizabeth Erb, Born July 21, 1900, Harper, Kansas.

Hj Tillman Harvey Erb (M) Born Sept.4, 1902, Newton, Kansas.

Hk Mary Elva Erb, Born Mar. 28, 1905, Newton, Kans. Died Sept. 17, 1912, Hesston, Kansas.

Hl Leah Ina Erb (M) Born Aug. 5, 1907, Newton, Kansas.

Biography of Lizzie Hess Erb, by Mabel Kauffman:

She lived in Lancaster Co., Pennsylvania, until she grew to womanhood. As a girl she learned to assist with the many duties connected with a large family and a farm home. She greatly valued the training in economy, thrift, and Christian piety so characteristic of her Mennonite forefathers.

When she was twenty years old, she visited her brothers Amos, Daniel, and Abram, who had homes in Harvey Co., Kansas It was while helping rake hay for her brother

Daniel that she met Tillman Erb, her future husband. They were married at her home in Pennsylvania and, after a short wedding trip, came to Kansas, Their first home was located just south of the Pennsylvania Mennoite Church in Harvey County. After several years they moved to Hesston and entered the creamery business, which later took them to Newton, where they lived until 1910. When her husband was appointed business manager of Hesston College in 1909, they moved to a farm a mile south of Hesston. Here in 1912 she experienced the tragedy of a gasoline explosion in the home which cost the life of a seven-year-old daughter and the severe burns from which her husband suffered the rest of his life. While he was in the hospital, she gave 144 square inches of skin for grafting on his burned legs. In 1918 they moved to Hesston, where her husband continued his work at the college until his death. Nine years after

her husband's death she suffered a heart attack while visiting in her sister's home in Akron, Pennsylvania, and passed away June 1, 1938. Mother lived a busy, sacrificing, yet happy life as the wife of a minister and bishop and the mother of a large family. She willingly shared the extra responsibilities that so often came to her when her husband was away on church work. Mother had an emotional nature and a deep Christian experience, stabilized by a tender conscience and a rich endowment of common sense. Her children reverence her memory.

Ha Anna May Erb, Married Feb. 25, 1909, Newton, Kansas. To Oliver King, Born July 12, 1878, West Liberty, Ohio,. Died Dec. 3, 1940, Hutchinson, Kansas.

Children:

Haa Mabel Esther King (M) Born Mar. 30, 1912, Peabody, Kansas

Hab Sanford E. King (M) Born Jan 22,

1915, Peaboby, Kansas.

Hac Donald E. King (M) Born Feb. 19, 1917, Newton, Kansas

Had Allen E. King (M) Born April 14, 1918 Hesston, Kansas.

Hae Kenneth E. King (M) Born Sept. 22, 1919, Hutchinson, Kansas.

Haf Lila Mae King (M) Born Dec. 10,1922, Hutchinson, Kansas.

Hag Clifford E. King (M) Born June 12, 1924, Hutchinson, Kansas.

Haa Mabel Esther King, Married Mar. 4, 1934, Hutchinson, Kans. To Frank J. Mullet, Born July 25, 1911, Bloomfield, Mont.

Children:

Haaa Elizabeth Ann Mullet, Born June 30, 1935, Stipek, Mont.

Haab Sanford Allen Mullet, Born Jan. 19, 1937, Stipek, Mont.

Haac Phyllis Irene Mullet, Born April5, 1938, Stipek, Mont.

Haad John Franklin Mullet, Born April 5,

1939, Stipek, Mont.

Haae Lola Fay Mullet, Born Aug. 19, 1941, Stipek, Mont.

Haaf Philip Royce Mullet, Borb July, 29, 1943, Stipek, Mont.

Hab Sanford E. King, Married May 22, 1938, Hesston, Kansas. ToZella Yost, Born Jan. 24, 1917, Hesston, Kansas.

Children:

Haba Sharon Lou King, Born Oct. 4,1939, Hutchinson, Kansas.

Habb Dwight Yost King, Born Sept 24, 1942, Hutchinson, Kansas.

Hac Donald E. King, Married May 4, 1941, _____ Oregon, To Thelma Yoder, Born Aug. 7, 1912, Portland, Oregon.

Children:

Haca Loren Odell King, Born Jan 23, 1943; Harper, Kansas.

Hacb Nelda Fern King, Born Dec. 12, 1944, Hutchinson, Kansas.

Hacc Wendall Roy King, Born Mar. 12, 1947, Hutchinson, Kansas

Had Allen E. King, Married April 18,1943, Hutchinson, Kans. To Fannie Yutzy, Born April 18, 1922, Hutchinson, Kansas.

Hada Vernon Lee King, Born April 14, 1944, Hutchinson, Kansas.

Hadb Vivian Kay, Born Feb. 18, 1946, Hutchinson, Kansas.

Hae Kenneth E. King, Married April 25, 1943, LaJunta, Colo. To Laura Ann Shenk, Born Aug. 7, 1923, Nampa, Ida.

Children:

Haea Janice Roanne King, Born Dec 14, 1944.

Haf Lila Mae King, Married Sept. 19, 1943, Hutchinson, Kans. To Samuel Janzen, Born Oct. 12, 1921, Newton, Kansas.

Children:

Haf Lois Evelyn Janzen, Born Aug. 1, 1945, Newton, Kansas.

Hafb Ruth Ann Janzen, Born Mar. 31, 1947, Newton, Kansas.

Hafc James Melvin Janzen, Born Feb. 10, 1948, Greensburg, Kansas.

Hafd Jay Milton Janzen, Born Feb. 10, 1948, Greensburg, Kansas.

Hag Clifford E. King, Married June 20, 1948, Crystal Springs, Kansas, To Mona Bebe Yoder, Crystal Springs, Kansas

Hb Allen H. Erb, Married July 20, 1912 McPherson, Kansas. To Stella Cooprider, Born April 1, 1888, McPherson, Kansas.

Hc Mabel H. Erb, Married July 23, 1912, Hesston, Kans. To James A. Kauffman, Born June 3, 1888, Versailles, Mo. Died Nov. 22, 1933, Hesston, Kansas.

Children:

Hca Lois Irene Kauffman (M) Born Nov. 25, 1915, Hesston, Kansas.

Hcb Melva Kauffman, Born Sept. 25, 1917, Hesston, Kansas.

Hcc Daniel E. Kauffman (M) Born June 19, 1922, Hesston, Kansas.

Hcb Robert Kauffman, Born June 14, 1929, Hesston, Kansas.

Hca Lois Irene Kauffman, Married Feb.9, 1935, Hesston, Kans. To Vernon Roth, Born May 26, 1909, Milford, Nebr.

Children:

Hcaa Doris Joanne Roth, Born Nov. 30, 1936, Hesston, Kansas

Hcab Rebecca Faye Roth, Born June 5, 1940, Milford, Nebr.

Hcac James Donnell Roth, Born Jan. 3, 1943, Williamsburg, Iowa.

Hcad Lowell Leon Roth, Born Mar. 26, 1944, Iowa City, Iowa.

Hcae Stanley Eugene Roth, Born Apr. 9, 1948, Washington, Iowa.

Hcc Daniel E. Kauffman, Married May 27, 1944, Kalona, Iowa, To Edith Yoder, Born Jan. 30, 1920, Wellman, Iowa.

Children:

Hcca Daniel Eric Kauffman, Born Dec. 20, 1946, Newton, Kansas

He Paul H. Erb, Married May 27, 1917, Hesston, Kans. To Alta Mae Eby, Born Feb. 23, 1891, Downington, Pa.

Children:

Hea Winifred Erb (M) Born Feb. 17, 1924, Newton, Kansas

Heb Delbert Erb , Born, Feb. 6, 1930, Newton, Kansas

Hea Winifred Erb, Married Aug. 8, 1947, Scottdale, Pa. To Charles Milford Paul, Born Oct. 7, 1920, Scottdale, Pa.

Children:

Heaa Philip Erb Paul, Born May 12, 1948, Scottdale, Pa.

Hf Ruth Naomi Erb, Married May 29, 1924, Hesston, Kans. To Clarence Ebersole, Born May 22, 1901, Hastings, Nebr.

Children:

Hfa Robert A. Ebersole, Born Aug. 27, 1926, LaJunta, Colorado.

Hfb Mary Elizabeth Ebersole, Born Nov. 22, 1928, LaJunta, Colorado.

Hfc Julia Ruth Ebersole, Born June 24, 1933, LaJunta, Colorado.

Hg Jacob Lester Erb, Married Aug. 29,1918,

Wellman, Iowa, To Erma Miller, Born April 13, 1893, Iowa City, Iowa.

Children:

Hga Shirlet Elizabeth Erb (M) Born Dec. 4, 1919, Wellman, Iowa.

Hgb Lois Elaine Erb (M) Born Dec.15, 1920, Kalona, Iowa.

Hgc Carley June Erb (M) Born Nov. 30, 1922, Wellman, Iowa.

Hgd Lowell Dean Erb, Born Feb. 3, 1934, Wellman, Iowa.

Hga Shirley Elizabeth Erb, Married Aug. 24, 1941, Kalona, Iowa, To Roman L. Gingerich, Born Dec. 28, 1919, Millersburg, Ohio.

Children:

Hgaa Sara Lou Gingerich, Born Aug. 23, 1942, Iowa City, Iowa.

Hgab Jamel Lowell Gingerich, Born June, 28, 1944.

Hgb Lois Elaine Erb, Married Dec. 24, 1943, To Donald J. Liechty, Born Mar. 7, 1918, At Archbold, Ohio.

Children:

Hgba Mary Helen Liechty, Born Feb. 13, 1946.

Hgc Carley June Erb, Married May 24,1944, Wellman, Iowa, To Galen R. Miller, Born Feb. 22, 1923, Millersburg, Ohio,

Children:

Hgca Marla Marice Miller, Born July 8, 1946.

Hgcb Micheal Scott Miller, Born Feb 2, 1947, Canton, Ohio.

Hi Amy Elizabeth Erb, Married June 27, 1918, Hesston, Kans. To Elmer Hershberger, Born Jan. 13, 1899, Arthur, Ill.

Children:

Hia Willis Hershberger, Born Jan 28, 1919, Hesston, Kansas

Hib Robert Hershberger (M) Born Mar. 18, 1921, Newton, Kansas.

Hic Elizabeth Hershberger, (M) Born Aug. 19, 1924, Newton, Kansas.

Hid Elva Mae Hershberger (M) Born Aug. 19, 1924, Newton, Kansas

Hie Lloyd Hershberger, Born Jan. 31, 1926, Newton, Kansas

Hif Lola Faye Hershberger (M) Born Jan. 12, 1927, Newton, Kansas

Hig Wilma Hershberger, Born July 14, 1928, Newton, Kansas.

Hih Tillman Hershberger, Born Mar. 9, 1930, Newton, Kansas

Hii Marjorie Hershberger, Born June 8, 1931, Newton, Kansas

Hij James Hershberger, Born July 27, 1933, Newton, Kansas

Hik Edith Hershberger, Born Nov. 20, 1934, Newton, Kansas

Hil Glen Hershberger, Born May 11,1936, Newton, Kansas

Hib Robert Hershberger, Married Nov. 5, 1942, Newton, Kans. To. Lucile Troyer, Born Oct. 24, 1924, Newton, Kansas.

Children:

Hiba Susan Kay Hershberger, Born Feb. 28, 1947, Newton, Kansas.

Hic Elizabeth Hershberger, Married July, 20, 1947, Newton, Kansas, To Ray S. Spicher, Bellville, Pa.

Hid Elva Mae Hershberger, Married Sept. 19, 1942, Newton, Kansas, To Harold P. Dyck, Born Sept. 2, 1920, Moundridge, Kans.

Children:

Hida Gerry Allan Dyck, Born Sept. 21, 1945.

Hif Lola Faye Hershberger, Married Sept. 14, 1945, Seattle, Wash. To Billy G. Garrett, Born May 11, 1922, Wichita, Kans.

Hj Tillman Harvey Erb, Married Aug. 12, 1923, LaJunta, Colo. To. Phoebe King, Born July 25, 1900, Gunn City, Mo.

Children:

Hja James Bryan Erb, Born Jan. 25, 1926, Swink, Colo.

Hjb Janet Marie Erb, Born April 10, 1926, Swink, Colo.

Hjc Hilda Joan Erb, Born Jan. 25, 1934, Swink, Colo.

Hjb Janet Marie Erb, Married June 27, 1948, Denver, Colo. To Harold Freiburg, New York.

Hl Leah Ina Erb, Married May 30, 1929, Hesston, Kansas, To. Alvin R. Yordy, Born Jan. 8, 1902, Fisher, Ill.

Children:

Hla Phyllis Maurine Yordy, Born May 10, 1932, Larned, Kansas.

Hlb Karl Dennis Yordy, Born Nov. 20, 1934, Larned, Kansas.

I Anna Hess, Married April 8, 1884, Lincoln, Pa. To Albert N. Wolf, Born Feb. 10, 1868, _____Pa. Died Mar. 31, 1939, Akron, Pa.

Children:

Ia John Wolf, Born April 28, 1892, Akron, Pa. Died Mar. 13, 1895, Akron, Pa.

Ib Elta Wolf (M) Born May 20, 1893, Akron, Pa.

Biography of Anna Hess Wolf by her sister Maria;

When she was quite young she was sickly, never as strong as most young girls are. After her marriage they lived with his mother many years. Later they built a new house in Akron, where they lived until her husband's death. Theirs was a happy home, a place where many visitors were entertained. It is indeed very interesting to look over their guest book, to see how many people have their names written there, from the Atlantic to the Pacific, also many from Canada. One thing I want to mention is her care of her parents when they were old. Many of her brothers and sisters lived too far away; we want to give her credit for that; I am sure the rest of us appreciated that so much. She made the remark, that she gave her parents more care than some of the others on account of her sickness in her childhood; then in their old age she could repay them

by caring for them. She was very fond of flowers, always had a lot of African Violets; there was a time she had several hundred, she raised them her self; she sold same and gave many away. Roses were another of her favorite flowers. She was very much interested in our Hess reunions, she attended as many as was possible; we always enjoyed her visits to Kansas.

Ib Elta Wolfe, Married Aug. 26, 1945, Pa. To Orio O. Miller, Born July 7, 1892, Middlebury, Ind.

Children:

Iba Loise Miller (M) Born Sept. 23,1917, Akron, Pa.

Ibb Albert Miller (M) Born Mar 18, 1922, Akron, Pa.

Ibc Daniel Miller, Born Feb 16, 1924, Akron, Pa.

Ibd John Miller, Born Dec 23, 1927, Akron, Pa.

Ibe Robert Miller, Born Aug. 8, 1931, Akron, Pa.

Iba Lois Miller, Married Sept. 6,1938,
_____To Ronald Beach, Born June 11, 1913,
Newark, N.J.

Children:

Ibaa Ronald Beach Jr. Born Oct. 28, 1939,
Nutley, N.J.

Ibab Christine Beach, Born Feb. 14, 1943.

Ibb Albert Miller, Married June 5, 1943,
To Esther Lehman, Born Nov. 12, 1919.

Children:

Ibba Edward Miller, Born Sept. 25, 1946.

Ibbc Jill Miller, Born Feb. 24, 1948.

K Maria Hess, Married Dec. 21, 1893,
Lincoln, Pa. To Moses M. Weaver, Born
Oct. 28, 1868, New Holland, Pa. Died Aug.
2, 1928, Newton, Kansas.

Children:

Ka John H. Weaver (M) Born Dec .13,
1894, Newton, Kansas.

Kb Harry Lester Weaver (M) Born May
12, 1897, Newton, Kansas.

Kc Anna Grace Weaver, Born Sept. 18,

1898, Newton, Kansas, Died June 29, 1925, LaJunta, Colo.

Kd Albert H. Weaver (M) Born June 25, 1900, Newton, Kansas.

Ke Edwin Ira Weaver (M) Born May 26, 1903, Newton, Kansas.

Kf Lottie Elizabeth Weaver, Born Nov. 3, 1905, Newton, Kansas.

Kg Earl H. Weaver (M) Born Jan. 25, 1907, Newton, Kansas.

Biography of; Maria Hess Weaver, data furnished by herself.

About 1891 she decided to visit her brothers and sister in Kansas; that surely was a happy meeting. Her trip was rather uneventful, although the time spent in her brothers' homes made impressions she has cherished through the years. Natuarally she spent most of her time in the home of her sister Lizzie. She says "We used a springwagon with two ponies hitched to it when going any where; when I went by myself I had a

horse hitched to a cart. Sounds very different from the conveyance we use now. But I believe we enjoyed ourselves as much as we do now. I enjoyed nothing more than to drive a spirited horse".

Her father had a stroke while preaching a funeral sermon. A telegram called her home after only a visit of a few months, she left Kansas for her home, accompanied by her brother Daniel. Her father lived more than six years longer.

She, like her sister Lizzie, met a young man while visiting in Kansas who later became her husband. After their marriage, they left her home on Feb. 9, for Kansas. En-route they visited her uncles and aunts in Sterling, Ill. Also in the home of her oldest brother John, in Council Bluffs, Iowa. They arrived in Newton, Kansas the latter part of Feb. They lived on the old Grandpa Weaver's farm north of Newton, for 9 years. They bought 80 acres one half mile

west of the Weaver place where they lived 18 years; then they bought their present farm home two miles south of Hesston, where she has lived for more than twenty years.

She had much sickness in her home; her husband was an invalid a number of years before his death; her daughter Lottie also was an invalid a number of years. She herself was Seriously ill several times.

She like her sister Anna was a flower lover; I think roses were her favorites. Growing roses in Kansas takes much patience and work.

Written by Dora Roupp.

Ka John H. Weaver, Married Mar, 20, 1918, Newton, Kans. To Edna Umholtz, born June 24, 1896, Boone, Iowa.

Children:

Kaa Evelyn Fay Weaver (M) Born Dec. 27, 1920, Newton, Kansas.

Kab Edwin Earl Weaver, Born Jan. 17, 1924, Newton, Kansas.

Kaa Evelyn Fay Weaver, Married Oct. 11, 1937, Newton, Kansas. To Vernon Paul Scott, Born Jan. 25, 1920.

Children:

Kaaa Dixie Lee Scott, Born Oct. 22, 1938, Newton, Kansas

Kaab Charles Scott, Born Oct. 4, 1941, Newton, Kansas

Kaac Margie Ann Scott, Born Feb. 8, 1944, Newton, Kansas.

K .d Vernon Scott, Born 1945 .

Kaae Gloria Fay Scott, Born June 2, 1947, Newton, Kansas.

Kb Harry Lester Weaver, Married Oct.21, 1920, Hesston, Kans. To Margaret Dorothy Deschner, Born Jan. 9, 1900, Hesston, Kans.

Children:

Kba Willmeta Weaver (M) Born Aug. 25, 1921, Hesston, Kansas

Kbb Milford Arnold Weaver, Born Feb. 6, 1925, Hesston, Kansas

Kba Willmeta Weaver, Married July 12, 1946, Hesston, Kansas To Arnold Dietzel, Born Aug. 4, Pigeon, Mich.

Children:

Kbaa Ronald Loren Dietzel, Born Apr. 7, 1947, Newton, Kansas.

Kd Albert H. Weaver Married Oct. 5, 1922, Newton, Kansas To Ruth Margaret Grove, Born Oct. 1, 1907, Garden City, Mo.

Children:

Albert Weaver Jr. (M) Born Aug. 5, 1923, Newton, Kansas.

Kdb Gene G. Weaver, Born June 16, 1925 Newton, Kansas.

Kdc Wanda Lee Weaver, Born Mar. 10, 1929, Newton, Kansas.

Kdd Donald Grove Weaver, Born Aug. 30, 1937, Newton, Kansas.

Kda Albert Weaver Jr, Married Mar.11, 1945, Crystal Springs, Kansas. To Naomi Naffziger, Born May 6, 1923, Crystal, Springs, Kansas.

Children:

Kdaa Marlin Weaver, Born Jan. 16, 1946, Died Jan. 18, 1946, Newton, Kansas

Kda Kathleen Jo Weaver, Born Aug. 2, 1947, Newton, Kansas.

Ke Edwin Ira Weaver, Married Sept. 9, 1933, Goshen, Indiana. To Irene Elizabeth Lehman, Born Jan. 23, 1910, _____India.

Children:

Kea Carolyn Grace Weaver, Born Dec.10, 1934, Chicago, Ill.

Keb Elizabeth Marie Weaver, Born Nov. 3, 1937, India.

Kec Jerald Lehman Weaver, Born Oct. 14, 1941, India.

Earl H. Weaver, Married Apr. 19, 1930 Hesston, Kansas, To. Goldie Luella Hawkey, Born Feb. 12, 1910, Hesston, Kans.

Children:

Kha Mary Lou Weaver, Born June 2, 1931, Newton, Kansas.

Khb Nayda Loane Weaver, Born, Sept. 20, 1935, Newton, Kansas.

Khc Karen Sue Weaver, Weaver, Born May 16, 1943, Newton, Kansas

Khd Judith Kay Weaver, Born Feb. 24, 1945, Newton, Kansas,

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